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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Kevin A. Seiling, et al.) COMPOSITION FOR MAKING
U.S. Patent Appin. No. 10/001,730) EXTRUDED SHAPES AND A METHOD FOR MAKING SUCH
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RESPONSE TO "NOTICE OF HEARING CONFIRMATION REQUIRED WITHIN TWENTY-ONE DAYS"

In response to the "Notice of Hearing Confirmation Required within Twenty-One Days" (copy enclosed) mailed February 27, 2007, Appellant and its counsel respectfully request that, due to scheduling conflicts, the Oral Hearing currently scheduled for Wednesday, April 4, 2007, at 1:00PM, in Hearing Room A, be rescheduled to one of the following alternate dates:

Monday, May 7, 2007 Tuesday, May 8, 2007 Wednesday, May 9, 2007 Thursday, May 10, 2007 Monday, May 21, 2007 U.S. Patent Application No. 10/001,730

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Appellant: Kevin A. Seiling, et al. "Response" Letter dated March 7, 2007

If further information is required for processing this request, Appellant's counsel, Frederick L. Tolhurst, Esq., may be reached directly at 412-297-4960.

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The application involved in this appeal has been published. Accordingly, the hearing in this appeal is open

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